1	2	3	4
18	Orissa	39550	6,988
19	Punjab	9059	3,280
20	Rajasthan	26142	8,281
21	Sikkim	326	113
22	Tamil Nadu	6022	9,789
23	Tripura	282	574
24	Uttar Pradesh	96222	16,026
25	West Bengal	30908	7,018
	Union Territories		
1	Andaman & Nicobar	423	66
2	Chandigarh	18	6
3	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	40	30
4	Delhi	99	115
5	Daman & Diu	13	13
6	Lakshadweep	..	10
7	Pondicherry	234	57
		4,53,345	1,28,197

Publication of Telephone Directories

1626. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the month and year of the publication and supply of the latest edition of telephone directories in English to the subscribers in Delhi and New Delhi, Calcutta, Bombay, Madras, Lucknow, Kanpur, Ahmedabad, Hyderabad, Bangalore, Nagpur, Jaipur, Patna, Amritsar, Srinagar, Mysore, Bhopal, Trivandrum, Guwahati;

(b) the reasons for the delay in publication and supply of the telephone directories; and

(c) Earnings on account of the sale of directories circle-wise and languagewise during the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) to (c).

Latest English Issue of Telephone Directories for	Published on	Released to public on
Delhi	Feb' 88	Feb' 88
Calcutta	March' 88	April' 88
Bombay	Aug' 88	Aug' 88
Madras	Feb' 88	March' 88
Lucknow	March' 87	March' 87
Kanpur	Aug' 88	Aug' 88
Ahmedabad	Oct' 87	Jan' 88
Hyderabad	Nov' 86	Nov' 86
Bangalore	Oct' 88	Oct' 88
Nagpur	Sept' 88	Sept' 88
Jaipur	May' 86	July' 86
Patna	July' 87	Aug' 87
Amritsar	July' 86	July' 86
Srinagar (J&K)	Nov' 87	Nov' 87
Mysore	Aug' 88	Aug' 88
Bhopal	April' 86	May' 86
Trivandrum	July' 88	July' 88
Guwahati	Sept' 88	Sept' 88

(b) Some of the reasons for late publication of directories have been:—

— delay in finalishing of rate contract by D.G.S. & D. for supply of paper;

— delay in finalisation of tenders/ contracts for publication with the publishers;

— delay in printing presses due to inadequate resources, like computerised composing, trained manpower.

(c) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Number of STD stations

1627. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of STD stations in the country as on March 31, 1989 circle-wise;

(b) the corresponding figures of STD stations during the financial year 1986-87 and 1987-88; and

(c) number of electronic and automatic trunk exchanges in the country as on March 31, 1989?